

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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DISCRIMINATION OF SC/ ST STUDENTS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether Ph.D./MS students have been reported to have discontinued from their various programme particularly belonging to reserved categories ;
- (b) If so, the details thereof, indicating the reasons, category wise, year wise, department wise, IIT wise and IISc Bangalore;
- (c) Whether any cases of discrimination have come to the notice of the Government in these institutes; and
- (d) If so, the details thereof, the measures taken by the government to stop injustice meted out to the students of reserved categories?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

- (a) & (b): Details of Ph. D. / M. S. students reported to have discontinued in respect of IITs are in Annexure. The information regarding IISc Bangalore is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.
- (c)&(d) : Four representations regarding discrimination have been received in the recent past. In all cases enquiries were conducted to ascertain the facts and appropriate measures were taken for redressal of grievances.